

Class-10
Holiday Homework
Subject-English

Q1.Integrated Grammar Exercise:-

Worksheet 1

i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the sentence.

The bridge is being _____ at the moment so it can't be used.

(a) repaired (b) repairing (c) repair (d) repairs

ii. Read the conversation between Raman and Anitha. Complete the sentence by reporting Anitha's reply correctly.

Raman : What's the matter, Anitha?

Anitha : Oh, nothing. You cannot help me. I only want that blue umbrella.

Raman asked Anitha what the matter was. She replied that it was nothing and he could not help her as _____

iii. Select the correct option to fill in the blank for the given line.

_____ I suggest a slight change in your plan ?

(a) May (b) Would

(c) Must (d) Will

iv. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the following line:

The people of India show remarkable unity at the time of Kargil Conflict.

Option No	Error	Correction
A	Time	Times
B	Conflict	Conflicts
C	Show	showed
D	The	A

v. Complete the given sentence, by filling in the blank with the correct option :

When I was a child, I _____ to school everyday instead of going by cycle.

(a) walked (b) have been walking (c) had walked (d) have walked

vi. Fill in the blank by using the correct form of the word in the bracket.

Many a student _____ (try) hard to pass his entrance exam.

vii. Report the dialogue between Gardener and Dev, by completing the sentence :

Gardener: Did you water the plant today?

Dev: No, but I will, today.

Gardener: Then tomorrow I will get a sapling of sunflower.

The Gardener asked Dev if he had watered the plant that day. Dev replied negatively but said he would that day. Then the gardener said that _____

viii. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

Diwali, well known as the festival of lights, is a festival that is celebrate in almost all parts of India.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

ix. Transform the following direct speech into reported speech :

The beggar said to the old man, “Can you tell me the way to the nearest temple?”

x. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

You have a large number of shirts. You can not buy any more. Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

xi. Rohit and Rajat are discussing their plans for the weekend. Complete the dialogue below by choosing the correct option.

Rohit : How do you like the idea of going to the zoo?

Rajat : That sounds good, But I _____ my parent's permission.

(a) needs to take (b) need not to take (c) needs not to take (d) need to take

xii. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

At the age of seventeen, Galileo know that he had discovered an important law- a law of a pendulum.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

Worksheet 2

i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the blank.

The story of English in India _____ between the conceptions of the language as an idea and as an object to date.

(a) will toggle (b) have toggled (c) had toggled (d) toggles

ii. Read the conversation between a man and his nephew. Complete the sentence by reporting the dialogue.

Uncle : Let us go and see the Great Apollo Circus this weekend.

Nephew : The ticket is on you because you lost all the games in cards yesterday.

Uncle invited his nephew to see the Great Apollo Circus coming weekend but the nephew reminded him since he _____ on him.

iii. Select the correct option to fill in the blank for the given line, from a short story.

But he was tired and weak with hunger and he _____ not rise, exhausted by the strange exercise.

(a) could (b) would (c) need (d) dare

iv. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the following line, from a news report: The proximate cause of the Leicester clashes was ostensibly tension after an India-Pakistan match.

Option No.	Error	Correction
(a)	Of	For
(b)	Was	has been
(c)	Tension	Tensions
(d)	An	The

v. Complete the given narrative, by filling in the blank with the correct option.

In the letter, the student has written that he _____ by some senior students who threatened him with dire consequences, if he complains.

(a) is being bullied (b) has been bullied (c) was bullying (d) will have bullied

vi. Fill in the blank by using the correct form of the word in the bracket, for the given portion of a letter :

Dear Sir

I would like to bring to your notice the unsanitary conditions in our colony. Rubbish and garbage _____(lie) in heaps everywhere.

vii. Report the dialogue between a student and a teacher, by completing the blanks in the sentence given below.

Student : I'm so stressed before my board exams.

Teacher : Don't worry. We have arranged counselling sessions to de-stress you.

When a student admitted that he was quite stressed before his board exams, his teacher told him _____ because the school _____.

viii. Identify the error in the given sentence, from a newspaper report and supply the correction.

I expect the authorities to take action on this issue at the earliest or we would have to raise it on socialmedia. Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

ix. Fill up the blank to complete the sentence with the correct options.

Rosemary often _____ to work by bus, but she _____ to work by taxi yesterday.

- (a) got, went (b) went, went (c) gets, got (d) has been going, reached

x. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

We will fight against injustice.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

xi. Select the correct option to complete the narration of the dialogue between two people.

A : Do you enjoy having a cup of tea in the morning?

B : No, my preference for a cup of strong filtered coffee has remained rock-solid for years.

A man 'A' asked his friend 'B' if he enjoyed having his morning tea. His friend 'B' admitted that _____.

- (a) her preference for a cup of strong filtered coffee has remained rock-solid for years.
(b) their preference for a cup of strong filtered coffee have remained rock-solid for years.
(c) his preference for a cup of strong filtered coffee has remained rock-solid for years.
(d) their preference for a cup of strong filtered coffee will remain rock-solid for years.

xii. Identify the error on a traffic signboard and supply the correction, for the following instruction.

Over speed is a knife that cut a life.

Use the given format for your response.

Error	Correction

Worksheet-3

i. Fill in the blank by choosing the correct option to complete the sentence.

The boys _____ to my lecture since 8 O'clock this morning.

(a) were listening (b) have been listening (c) had been listening (d) None of these

ii. Read the conversation between a mother and her daughter. Complete the sentence by reporting daughter's reply correctly.

Mother: Why are you looking so worried?

Daughter: My exams are approaching.

Mother asked her daughter why she was looking very worried. The daughter replied that _____.

iii. Select the correct option to fill in the blank for the given line.

I _____ rather die than join the gang of terrorists.

(a) could (b) should (c) would (d) can

iv. Select the option that identifies the error and supplies the correction for the following line :

A little political thinkers think that liberty and equality can't go together.

Option No.	Error	Correction
A	Can't	Couldn't
B	Think	thinks
C	A little	Some
D	Go	goes

v. Complete the given sentence, by filling in the blank with the correct option :

They met you at night after you _____ your work.

(a) had finished (b) have finished

(c) finished (d) will finish

vi. Fill in the blank by using the correct form of the word in the bracket.

Chris, in addition to his brother Zack, _____ (play) hockey on Saturday.

vii. Report the dialogue between a doctor and a patient, by completing the sentence :

Doctor : You should take this medicine every day.

Patient : Should I take it before dinner or after dinner?

Doctor : No, you should take it after breakfast.

The Doctor advised the patient that he should take that medicine every day. The patient further asked if he should take it before dinner or after dinner. The doctor replied negatively and then said that _____.

viii. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

Some guys like to fights on even playing grounds, and some guys like to cheat.

Use the given format for your response.

Error_____ Correction_____

ix. Transform the following direct speech into reported speech :

He asked, "Will you be coming?"

x. Identify the error in the given sentence and supply the correction.

My class teacher told me that I can work hard.

Use the given format for your response.

Error_____ Correction_____

xi. Select the correct option to complete the narration of the dialogue between Radha and Shikha.

Radha : Do you know how to swim?

Shikha : Yes I know. I have learnt it during this summer vacation.

Radha asked Shikha if/whether she knew how to swim. Then Shikha replied in affirmative and alsoadded that _____.

- (a) she had learnt it during the summer vacation
- (b) she has learnt it during the summer vacation
- (c) she have learnt it during the summer vacation
- (d) she had learn it during the summer vacation

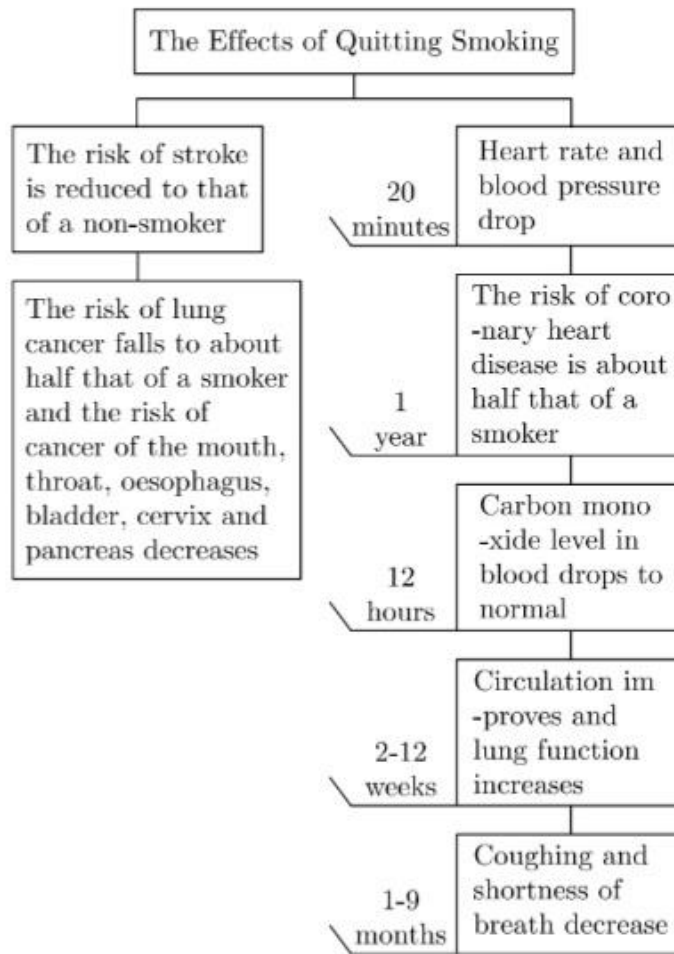
xii. Identify the error and supply the correction, for the following sentence :

Every people went to welcome the Indian Cricket team.

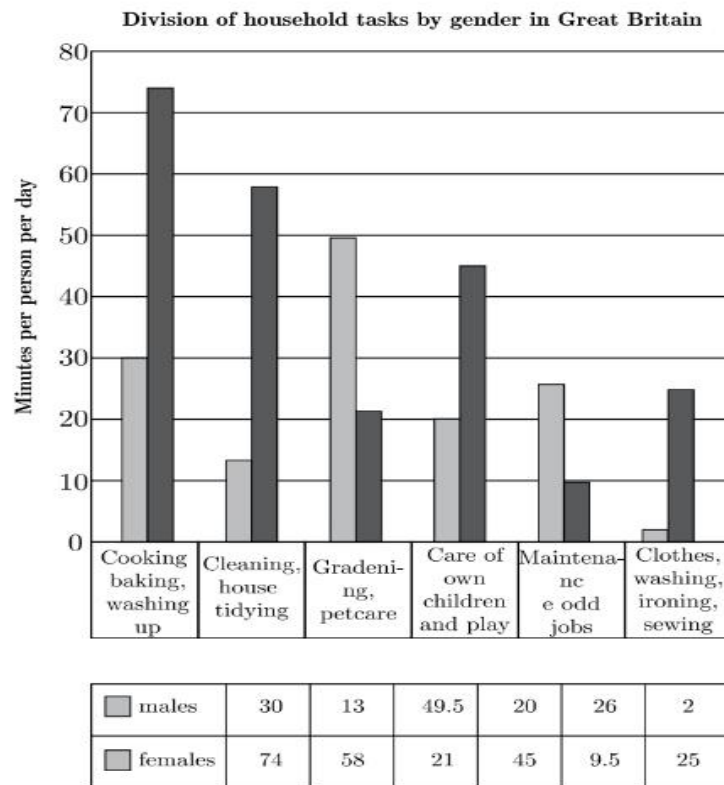
Error_____ Correction_____

Analytical Paragraph

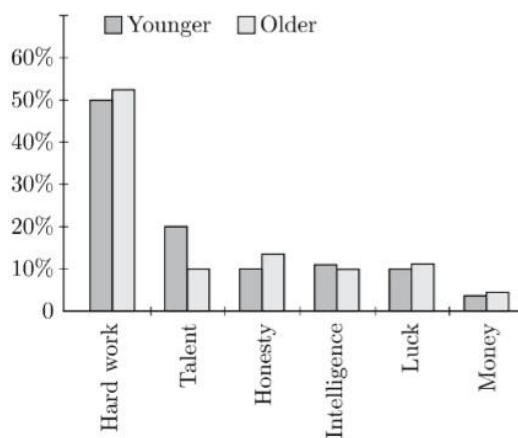
Q1. Study the concept chart from a recent study by WHO that has described some positive effects of quitting smoking. Write an analytical paragraph in about 120 words, analysing the given information.



Q2. The given chart shows the division of household tasks by gender in Great Britain. Write an analytical paragraph describing the chart, in not more than 100-120 words.



Q3. The bar graph given below contains data related to the people's opinion about their consideration for the most important factor for success. Write an analytical paragraph in about 120 words after observing the graph carefully and analysing; highlight the main features and make suitable comparisons of The Most Important Factor For Success



Letter Writing

Q1. Write a letter to the Editor of a local daily complaining against the school-bus drivers for rash driving and overcrowding of buses causing risk to the lives of innocent school children. You are Dipti /Deepak of C-156,Janakpuri,New Delhi.

Q2. Write a letter to the Editor of an English daily in about 120 words,making a plea to the common people to switch over to solar energy to conserve electricity and limit electricity bills. You are Divyansh of 146,Mayur Vihar ,New Delhi.

Q3. You are Prabhu Kumar/Parvati of 17E,Ravi Dass Road,Kochi. Write a letter to the Editor of a newspaper about the nuisance caused by loudspeakers during examination days drawing attention of the authorities concerned to the problem.

Project Work

Q1. Write a brief report on "Project Tiger", including all the key features of the steps Taken to protect the tiger population. Present it creatively.

Q2. Write the rules of Reported Speech creatively.

Instructions-

Take the printout of the pdf and solve the Grammar portion in it only.

Please do the Writing section in Single line pages and attach everything in Portfolio file as instructed.

Thank you